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Washington, DC 20463

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Michael R. Sneed

Springfield, IL 62703

RE: MUR 5964

Dear Mr. Sneed:

This is in reference to the complaint you filed with the Federal Election Commission on January 16, 2008, concerning Schock for Congress. On February 11, 2009, the Commission determined to dismiss this matter and closed the file. A Statement of Reasons providing a basis for the Commission's decision will follow.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003).

The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. *See* 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(8).

If you have any questions, please contact Jack A. Gould, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Thomasenia P. Duncan
General Counsel

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mark Allen".

BY: Mark Allen
Assistant General Counsel

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